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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY  
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

ENE (Environment Northeast)  
Greater Boston Real Estate Board  
National Consumer Law Center  
NEPOOL Industrial Customer Coalition

v.

Docket No. EL13-33-000

Bangor Hydro-Electric Company  
Central Maine Power Company  
New England Power Company  
New Hampshire Transmission LLC  
NSTAR Electric Company  
Northeast Utilities Service Company  
The United Illuminating Company  
Unitil Energy Systems, Inc.  
Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company  
Vermont Transco, LLC,

NOTICE OF COMPLAINT

Take notice that on December 27, 2012, pursuant to sections 206 and 306 of the Federal Power Act (FPA) and Rule 206 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission), 18 CFR 385.206, ENE (Environment Northeast), Greater Boston Real Estate Board, National Consumer Law Center, and NEPOOL Industrial Customer Coalition (Complainants) filed a formal complaint against Bangor Hydro-Electric Company; Central Maine Power Company; New England Power Company; New Hampshire Transmission LLC; NSTAR Electric Company; Northeast Utilities Service Company; The United Illuminating Company; Unitil Energy Systems, Inc. and Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company; and Vermont Transco, LLC (Respondents) seeking an order to reduce the 11.14 percent base return on equity ("Base ROE") used in calculating formula rates for transmission service under the ISO-NE Open Access Transmission Tariff ("OATT") to a just and reasonable level at 8.7 percent.

The Complainant certifies that copies of the complaint were served on the contacts for the Respondents as listed on the Commission's list of Corporate Officials and on parties and the regulatory agencies the Complainants reasonably expect to be affected by this complaint.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. The Respondent's answer and all interventions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. The Respondent's answer, motions to intervene, and protests must be served on the Complainants.

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Comment Date: 5:00 pm Eastern Time on January 16, 2013

Dated: December 28, 2012

Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,  
Deputy Secretary.